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SUBJ: LOS: DRAFTING GROUP, SC III-SCIENTIFIC RESEARCH 8 AUGUST

1. INFORMAL DRAFTING GROUP OF WG 3, SC III (SR) HELD MORNING SESSION 8 AUGUST TO CONSIDER COMPROMISE TEXT ON ITEM 1.2 DRAWN UP PRIOR TO MEETING BY U.S., SOVIETS, CANADA, FRANCE, TURKEY, PERU AND U.K. TEXT READS: QUOTE SUBJECT TO THE RIGHTS OF COASTAL STATES AS PROVIDED FOR IN THIS CONVENTION, ALL STATES, INDIVIDUALLY OR JOINTLY AND IRRESPECTIVE OF THEIR GEOGRAPHIC LOCATION, AS WELL AS APPROPRIATE INTERNATIONAL ORGANIZATIONS, HAVE THE RIGHT (OF FREEDOM) TO CONDUCT MARINE SR. END QUOTE.

2. WITH UNDERSTANDING THAT ABOVE TEXT WOULD COMPRIZE FIRST PARAGRAPH OF ARTICLE, WITH SUBSEQUENT PARA(S) TO FOLLOW, DELEGATIONF OF KENYA, TANZANIA, MALTA, COLOMBIA AND AUSTRALIA SUPPORTED TEXT WITH EACH SUGGESTING MINOR CHANGES.

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3. BRAZIL, SUPPORTED BY ARGENTINA, VENEZUELA, T&T, PAKISTAN AND YUGOSLAVIA REJECTED COMPROMISE TEXT AND SOUGHT INCLUSION OF ALTERNATIVE TEXT READING: QUOTE STATES SHALL COOPERATE IN THE CONDUCT OF SR AND INVESTIGATION TAKING INTO ACCOUNT THE INTERESTS OF THE INTERNATIONAL COMMUNITY, PARTICULARLY THE INTERESTS AND NEEDS OF DEVELOPING COUNTRIES. END QUOTE. BRAZIL RESISTED ATTEMPTED COMPROMISE OF INCLUDING THIS TEXT AS PARA 2 INSISTING THE TEXTS ARE OPPOSITES, NOT COMPLEMENTARY, AND SCIENTIFIC RESEARCH MUST BE CONDUCTED ON BASIS OF COOPERATION NOT RIGHTS.

4. US (MCKERNAN) AND SOVIETS BOTH STATED TEXT WAS COMPROMISE, AND BRAZIL TEXT ACCEPTABLE AS PARA 2, BUT IF BRAZIL INSISTENCE OF INCLUDING IT AS ALTERNATIVE THEN U.S. AND SOVIETS WOULD EACH INSIST THEIR ORIGINAL TEXTS BE INCLUDED AS ALTERNATIVES.

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